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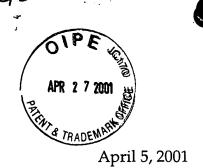
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Dear Dr. Lillis:

We have identified the below-listed files with Geron as the assignee. As previously discussed please transfer these files back to our office, to the attention of David J. Earp. For those cases that are pending foreign filings, Geron will notify the foreign associate of the changes.

Cooley Ref. #	Serial No.	Patent No.	Geron Docket
GERN-	08/482,132	5,837,453	007/015P
004/00US			
GERN-	08/631,554	5,863,726	007/033P1
004/01US			
GERN-	08/632,662	5,804,380	007/033P2
004/02US			
GERN-	09/100,153	5,891,639	007/062C
004/03US			
GERN-	US96/09669	Expired	007/079PCT
004/02WO			
GERN-	9-512229	Pending	007/086JP
004/02JP			
GERN-	08/770,564	Abandoned	014
008/00US			
GERN-	09/436,060	Pending	014/002C
008/02US			
GERN-	US97/23619	Expired	014/107,108
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GERN-	56148/98	Pending	014/229AU
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GERN- 008/01CA	2,274,586	Pending	014/229CA
GERN- 008/01EP	97952568.0	Pending	014/229EP
GERN- 008/01JP	10-529003	Pending	014/229JP
GERN- 008/01MX	995717	Pending	014/229MX
GERN- 007/00US	09/540,119	Pending	029/001

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Regarding application 09/540,119, it is our understanding that you will complete the PCT filing as requested. Please transfer that file to us once the filing has been completed.

In reference to the remaining files which Cooley Godward has served as counsel and, which include an assignee other than Geron, we will provide instructions to you once we have contacted each co-assignee.

Sincerely,

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